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Memorial Seedlings Available to Honor the Memory of Loved Ones Lost Due to COVID-19

As announced by Governor Hutchinson, the State of Arkansas through the Arkansas Department of Agriculture is donating 10,000 oak tree seedlings to families to honor those lost due to COVID-19.

"Our deepest sympathy is extended to the Arkansas families who have lost loved ones to COVID-19," said Secretary of Agriculture Wes Ward. "We are deeply honored to provide a remembrance to these families on behalf of the State of Arkansas."

The seedlings will be available at the following locations through March 24:

Pulaski County	Baucum Nursery 1402 Hwy 391 N, North Little Rock, AR	501-515-0503
Drew County	1327 Scogin Drive, Monticello, AR	870-367-6767
St. Francis County	1690 Linden Road, Forrest City, AR	870-633-6693
Howard County	106 North Main Street, Dierks, AR	870-828-0859
Union County	2159 Champagnolle Rd, El Dorado, AR	870-863-7051
Lafayette County	1171 Lafayette 31, Stamps, AR	870-953-1578
Hot Spring County	207 Airport Road, Malvern, AR	501/332-2081
Johnson County	#1 Smokey Lane, Clarksville, AR	479-754-2701
Washington County	2780 N. Garland, Fayetteville, AR.	479-632-0209
Faulkner County	20 Industrial Blvd., Greenbrier, AR	501-207-1458
Sharp County	#40 Arnhart St., Ash Flat, AR	870-994-2187
Craighead County	2301 Fox Meadow Ln, Jonesboro, AR	870-932-2251

Families are asked to call to arrange a time to pick up the seedlings. Forestry Division office locations will be taking calls and assisting individuals with seedling pick up Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

Information on the Memorial Seedlings donation is available at agriculture.arkansas.gov/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19-resource-information/memorial-seedlings-available-to-honor-the-memory-of-loved-ones-lost-due-to-covid-19/.

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